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RESPONSE

Dear Sir or Madam:

This facsimile is responsive to the final Office Action mailed on March 19, 2004, in regards to the above-referenced patent application.

Applicants thank Examiner Tran for the telephonic Interview conducted May 4, 2004, between Examiner Tran and Applicants' attorneys Paul J. Parins and Dale A. Bjorkman regarding Applicants' pending claims. As requested by the Examiner, four pages (Title page, publication date page, and pages viii and 320) from McGee, Harold, "On Food and Cooking, The Science and Lore of the Kitchen," are concurrently faxed with this Response.

The three-month shortened statutory period for responding is set to expire on June 19, 2004. At the end of the Interview on May 4th, the Examiner indicated that the discussed Response should be faxed to 571-273-1408. Accordingly, this Response was faxed to this number on May 4, 2004, which is within two months of the mailing date of the outstanding final action. During a telephonic discussion on June 10, 2004, between Applicants' attorney, Dale A. Bjorkman, and Examiner Tran, the Examiner indicated that the May 4, 2004 Response could not be found and that it should be re-faxed to 571-273-1408. Accordingly, the Response was re-faxed to this number on June 10th. On June 14, 2004, Examiner Tran telephoned Applicants' attorney, Paul J. Parins, and indicated that

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